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[Special Telegraphic Correspondence of the Courier-Journal.]

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FEMALE PRESIDENCY.

The women suffragist people are still persistent. To-day they had another petition to be registered, and marched in force to the Fourth-ward Registration Board. The interrogatories from these people, and replied that a legal opinion in the morning would be given on that matter in a few days.

GENERAL LEE

Not for Virginia to-day. Judge Loring, he expressed himself much opposed at fabricated accounts of his interview which have appeared in some papers, especially two New York papers. The Judge having more than alluded to reconstruction in his conversation, and even those did not say that he had expressed the opinion that Gen. Lee ought to be President of the United States. He further stated that Virginia should be restored to the Union in all its political relations.

SPAIN MAKES THE AMERICAN BOMBSHELL.

It is hinted that the Spanish authorities have decided to every possible extent protect the Government in which the rights of persons or property of American citizens were involved.

MADISON SUPERVISOR.

Ex A. Bicknell was to day appointed Supervisor of Internal Revenue for Madison district, vice Hodgen, resigned. There were a dozen applicants for the place.

OFFICE-SEEKERS SWARMING.

The War Department is by no means out of office-seekers yet, but they do not appear to be so numerous as they were a few days ago.

Among the cases of importance to be decided before Chief Justice Chase at Richmond, Va., are Peter Grinnell, Collector of Internal Revenue, of Va., and Conrad Griffin, colored, the same sentence of death for murder. They were brought into the United States Court upon a writ of habeas corpus, to show whether the Judge of the State Court had exceeded his power in sentencing minority courts of jurisdiction in such cases, under the operation of the Constitutional Amendment known as Article Fourteen.

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THE 25TH CORPS OF ENGINEERS

Is still in course session, putting up their final report, which will be ready to be sent to the Senate and House of Representatives. Maj. Gen. General George H. Thomas, President of the court, will leave for California and other points of the West, where he is assigned for duty.

Assistant Adjutant General Kelton, of the army headquarters staff, who has recently did to Washington for the purpose of conferring with Gen. Sheridan before he left Washington for the West, where he is assigned to duty.

ARRIVAL.

All persons of children of the internal revenue, who have not contributed their share with the assessment of their income during the last year, will be prosecuted to the extent of a few days.

SECRETARY WELLES.

Secretary Welles, of Virginia, arrived here to-day, and is stopping at Willard's. He will remain in Washington for some considerable time, on business of State, similar to the business of the State commissioner. Governor Wells said, that while he was in favor of the test oath, he had no objection to let Fremont or any other man who had taken the oath of allegiance to the people. The Governor's visit is for the purpose of having the test oath removed from the constitution of Virginia. He is confident that Virginia should be restored to the Union in all its political relations.

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INDIANAPOLIS.

Proceedings of the Legislature—Location of the Agricultural College—Result of the Election, &c.

INDIANAPOLIS, May 4.—In the Senate the bill to establish a Criminal Court in the counties of Laporte and St. Joseph passed. The bill locating the Agricultural College in Tippecanoe county and attaching it to Purdue University was taken up and made the special order for next Monday.

The bill to repeal the act submitting to the people the question of locating the State Capital at Bloomington, and in connection with the State University. This proposition called out a lengthy discussion. The amendment was rejected—ayes 27, nays 20. A vote upon the bill was then taken, which resulted—ayes 31, nays 19, locating the proposed college in Tippecanoe County, and accepting the proposition of John Purdue, so far as the action of the Senate could determine. The bill to amend the act regulating and conforming the duties of the clerks of the circuit courts to the duties of auditors of State passed. The bill to enable the several Criminal Courts in the State to try and determine suits upon forfeited recognizances passed. A proposition to adjourn sine die for the 10th inst. was laid on the table. The Joint Committee appointed to visit the National Soldier's Home, near Dayton, with a view to the removal of our disabled soldiers there, to the Knightstown Home, reported a joint resolution requesting the officers of our home to use their efforts to induce our soldiers to voluntarily go to the National Home at Dayton.

In the House, the Senate savings' bank bill with amendments was passed. The bill prescribing the qualifications of jurors and relative to the cancelled county orders and the statements of property taxed by appraisers and assessors, was passed. The bill to authorize township trustees to construct bridges by appropriations out of the township funds, passed. The fox and wild beast bill, proposing a bounty of one dollar for each scalp, passed. The Senate amendments to the bill creating the twenty-fifth Judicial Circuit including the counties of Morgan, Johnson, Brown, Bartholomew, and Shelby were concurred in. The girls' reformatory bill, proposing an appropriation of $50,000 for a site, building, &c., was passed. Yeas (no name), 76. A proposition to adjourn sine die on the 10th inst. was tabled. The Senate bill to make continuous appropriations for benevolent institutions was passed.

George Holland has been appointed Judge of the Wayne County Criminal Court.

The returns of the election in this city are not all in, but Macauley, the regular Republican candidate, is elected by about three hundred majority, and the balance of the Republican city ticket by about five hundred. The latter is probably elected by seven or eight Democrats and ten or eleven Republicans.

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Result of Municipal Elections—Location of the Agricultural College—Fatal Accident.

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In Lafayette, the Democratic ticket was elected by a majority of two hundred and fifty. Columbus, the Republicans elect their ticket by about two hundred majority.

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ILLINOIS.

How the State House Commissioners Get Their Money.

CHICAGO, May 4.—Gen. John C. Wright, late Secretary of the new State House Commissioners of Illinois, has filed with Governor Oglesby his resignation of that office, and has written a letter to the Governor, in which he states that he has resigned because he cannot conscientiously sign the vouchers of the Chamber Commissioners which are in existence for the purpose of enabling the Commissioners to draw money from the State Treasury. He says that he has personally received and will be obliged to disburse the money. He then gives a statement of how the money has been disbursed, and why he cannot sign the vouchers. He says that he has been assured by the Governor that the vouchers will be signed by the two Commissioners with whom he has been associated, and

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WEDNESDAY MORNING, MAY 5, 1869.

KENTUCKY NEWS.

Monday last was County Court, was a busy day in Frankfort.

Paducah sold 109 hogsheads of tobacco on the 1st inst., the round prices being $4 to $12 75.

The Hopkinsville Signal has been discontinued, until further notice, for the present.

The weather in Union county for the past week has been favorable for farming operations.

The Directors of the Farmers' Bank, of Frankfort, were all re-elected at the annual meeting last week.

A little son of Patrick Hicks, of Louisville, aged about seven years, disappeared from home on Sunday last, and has not been found as yet.

A tobacco manufactory of Covington pays $1,000 per month of internal revenue into the Government coffers, or more than pay the drawing tax on it.

The docket of the Court of Appeals for the summer term of 1869 will close on the 15th of May next. All appeals for said term must be filed by that date.

A young man Harrodsburg amuses himself at night by removing dogs, hitching sheep, turning cows, and indulging in other similar nocturnal pranks.

A little son of Mat. Klapp, Esq., of Newport, Ky., was drowned in the Chesapeake on Thursday evening, at that place, by falling off a wharf boat into the river.

Tobacco plants in Marshall county are coming on finely. Complaints from other portions of the State say many of the plants having died.

A young man named Gilmore, walking along a public highway in Scott county night last, was attacked by a highwayman, who struck him a severe blow on the head with a slung shot, and robbed him of $20.

The Louisville Courier-Journal says: "Mr. Bowditch, a resident of Boston, Massachusetts, has invented a paper bag machine, by which he can make 10,000 bags per day. Mr. Bowditch is a son of Nathaniel Bowditch, the celebrated author of 'Bowditch's Navigator.'"

A young man named Hall, residing near Owenton, Owen county, was thrown from a horse on Saturday last, and received injuries from which he died in a few hours thereafter. He was a son of Mr. Hall, who resides near Owenton.

A correspondent of the Nashville Press and Times says that Mr. Jones, formerly of Louisville, has been appointed Consul to Bordeaux, France, and that Mr. Jones, formerly of Louisville, has been appointed Consul to Rio Janeiro, Brazil. Who will fully qualified to fill the offices mentioned, we are unable to say, but we have no doubt that they will be filled by competent men.

At a recent meeting of the citizens of Hopkinsville, C. C. Wall, Esq., presiding, and Wm. Rowland, Secretary, it was resolved that the Democratic party of Christian county will not support any man for office who is not in favor of the immediate restoration of the right of suffrage to all white persons, although the negro population is far less than the white, and, in the country districts, as a general thing would vote and do as instructed, the proposed change, including in the ingress to these privileges all the negroes in the State. But it is not probable that the Democratic party will ever have the opportunity to act upon the question, as the present Radical party is fast losing its power, and will soon be overwhelmed by the people.

A recounter occurred a few days since in Pewville, Tennessee county, this territory, between Mr. Bowman and Mr. Hall, in which a number of the citizens were engaged. The result of the affair, resulting in the arrest of the principals, was that Hall was severely wounded, though it is said he will recover. Bowman received five or six cuts with a knife, one of which was dangerous, and he is under bonds in the sum of $1,000 to appear before the next Circuit Court. Hall was released on bail.

A negro man was recently arrested in Hopkinsville, charged with stealing a watch from a white man. He was tried before Squire Long, and the evidence was so strong against him that he was bound over to the Circuit Court. He was unable to give bail, and was committed to jail. Before he was taken to jail, however, he managed to get hold of a pistol, and shot himself through the heart, dying almost instantly.

Col. E. Lloyd Wailes, a citizen of Cadiz, Trigg county, was shot through the body with a pistol in the hands of Col. Wm. Williams, on Monday last. He was conveyed to Hopkinsville, where he died on Tuesday morning. Williams was arrested, and is now in jail. The shooting occurred in the presence of Mr. Wailes' family, and was the result of a difficulty between the two men.

The militia at Humboldt, Tennessee, has been ordered out. The Gleaner says that the order was issued by Governor Brownlow, and that the militia are to be used in the event that the Democrats attempt to carry the election in August next. The Gleaner says that the militia will be composed of Democrats.

Captain Ford, of St. Louis, has sold the steamer Will S. Cox, of Paducah, Ky., to Capt. Wm. Hall & Co., of Nashville, Tenn., for the purchase of that boat. The Cox is one of the finest stern-wheel boats on the river, and is said to be the fastest recorded mile, having made one in four minutes from her stern. The price paid was $9,500 cash.

The steam tobacco stemming and carding factory of Wilkinson & Johnson, at Hopkinsville, was consumed by fire Monday morning. The fire originated in what is known as [illegible] which fell

The Education of Deaf Mutes.

It is not perhaps generally known that the methods of instruction pursued in this country in the institutions for the education of deaf mutes have materially influenced and are still influencing the methods of education pursued with deaf mutes.

An article in the November number of the "American Annals of the Deaf and Dumb," a quarterly periodical, published in Washington City, says on this subject: "It is encouraging to know that the results of these investigations are not limited to the unfortunate. They extend to the cause of education at large. It is a fact capable of proof that some of the most approved methods of teaching employed in our common schools have been evolved in the institutions for the deaf and dumb. And such men as Dr. Peet [principal of the New York Institution] and Dr. Jacobs [principal of the Kentucky Institution] and others who have labored so zealously and efficiently in this field, deserve not only the thanks of the mute but the nation's gratitude. For if an enlightened Christian philanthropy no longer demanded the establishment and support of these institutions, even then the State would suffer loss by having them swept away. We have to deal with mind in a very crude condition, and are compelled to develop the most natural methods of presenting truth, consequently our modes of teaching are found to be among the best for all classes of children."

The influence referred to has been exercised by the writings and books of instruction published by the gentlemen mentioned above and others.

Nothing to be Done.

Mr. Motley, it seems, is to go to London without a word of instructions. What is he expected to do there? To propose the reopening of negotiations in the Alabama case? Without instructions he can propose nothing of the sort or of any sort. Will he await proposals from Great Britain? Great Britain has no proposals to make, no claims to urge, and, the late negotiation having fallen through, the matter practically remains to let things stand for the present as they are. What then, we repeat, is Motley expected to do? Simply nothing, so far as we can see, beyond drawing his salary, going to the Royal Court on stated days, and attending to the little commonplaces and formal duties of his official position. All well, perhaps, we have been mistaken in what we have said about the importance of our country's being represented at this particular time at the Court of St. James by her greatest diplomatic ability, when the appointment Motley may be at his post.

The South Carolina Negroes.

The Charleston papers comment in saying that the number of negroes in South Carolina is much less than the number reported in 1860. They say, that, during the last four years, that is, since the negroes became free, the mortality among them has been vastly greater than it was when they lived in slavery. And the causes of this increasing mortality in that State are set down as identical with the causes that have produced similar results in the rest of the Southern States. The negroes, it is stated, are utterly careless in their habits, asking no pains whatever to protect themselves and their families from disease and death. Idle and squalid, they generate the filth and squalor that engender it. They will not work unless their necessities force them to do so, and they never save or find any such necessities whilst the alternative of stealing is within their reach. They starve and idle at the precipitate [illegible]

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WEDNESDAY MORNING, MAY 5, 1869.

ROUND-ABOUT.

I.

The New Orleans Picayune, which is high authority in matters of art, says of a late concert of the popular pianist: "We never saw the audience rise, when all admit to be an artist and performer of the first merit, to better it. Gottschalk's departure for California, which is temporary, is caused by the hope that he will there reap fruit materially beyond what he has gathered in this country, the hope that he will there reap fruit materially beyond what he has gathered in this country, the hope that he will there reap fruit materially beyond what he has gathered in this country,

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CLOSING AND ARRIVAL OF MAILS.

CLOSE.		ARRIVE.
A.M.		A.M. P.M.
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7:00	Cincinnati, &c.	10:30 5:30
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THE NEWS.

Snow fell at Binghampton, N.Y., Monday night.

Gold closed at 136 3-4 in New York yesterday.

Forney and party are in Knoxville, Tenn.

Three hundred and forty-eight deaths are reported during April.

The Grand Encampment of Odd Fellows of this city is in Cincinnati yesterday. The order is largely represented.

The new postmaster of Cincinnati has arranged for a daily mail from Cincinnati to New York, Philadelphia, and St. Louis.

The Indiana Legislature yesterday located the Deaf and Dumb Asylum at the Tippecanoe battle ground, near Lafayette.

A woman named Catnell was run over and killed on the Pennsylvania and Pennsylvania railroad yesterday.

The Danish Minister, Mr. Debelle, was married in New York yesterday to a daughter of Governor Bontwell, of Jersey City.

A. B. Ryan, a young lawyer, died in a month on Monday, while on his way from Covington to Cincinnati, in the cars.

John Dorsey, an Irishman, living in Williamsburg, Mass., murdered his wife Saturday night by beating her brains out with a club.

The city of St. Paul has delivered $100,000 worth of bonds to the Lake Superior and Mississippi railroad company, having thus finished paying that road's subsidy.

S. A. Purse was acquitted in the Criminal Court at Cincinnati yesterday on the charge of passing counterfeit money. Plaintiff costs.

General Gilbert H. Thomas will leave Washington City for Europe in a few days, to be absent about three months.

Gen. Robert E. Lee arrived in Alexandria, Virginia, on Saturday, and is now in Fairfax County, Virginia.

Mrs. O. Rice, Chief Assistant Engineer of the Steamer Pocahontas, died at Memphis on the 27th ult., of yellow fever.

The Cabinet appointments are all in the hands of the President elect, and will be announced in a few days, probably.

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Assaults and Batteries.

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Elevator Burned.

Dr. John Bull, Clerk C. Smith, Henry Weinhard, F. Lisk and E. Verhoeff, jr., were on hand with a Board of Directors for the Masonic Tent.

An Insurance.

In consequence of the burning of the Kentucky Insurance Company has made an assessment of fifteen per cent. on their premium notes, payable in the next thirty days.

A Tea-table by the Police.

Miss Mary, a young, eighteen years of age, was arrested yesterday and lodged in the First-street station-house on the charge of stealing a cow's turkish tea-boiler kit on Charles Davis.

The Big Sewer.

Bricklaying was commenced yesterday on the great sewer, recently put under contract, along Lexington street, from Trauth to Nineteenth. The work will be pressed forward to completion as rapidly as possible.

Summer Uniform of the Police.

The police force will all be out soon in their new summer suits of grey. Every man is ordered to don his new "rig" by the 20th instant, on pain of dismissal. Soft coats will be worn, and coat and vest will sport only four buttons each.

The Fire Rechargeable.

If another outcome will be found a very strong testimonial, endorsed by the leaders of our prominent citizens, in regard to the efficiency of the Great Western Fire Extinguisher, as evidenced at the trial near the corner of First and Main streets, on Monday afternoon.

The Knief and Jackson Cases.

A bill of exceptions in the case of Wm. Kriel, convicted of with-murder, after argument by Judge Bruce, of the Circuit Court, yesterday. He has the case in hand for revision, with a view to its transfer to the Court of Appeals.

The motion for a new trial in the case of Henry Jackson (colored), convicted of the murder of Bernard Gigas (white), is also before Judge Bruce for decision. He will determine the motion one day this week.

Musical.

The admirers of choice music will be gratified to learn that the leading members of the orchestra at the Opera House, acting as a nucleus, have organized a band for concert and other purposes, having already made their first appearance in the Street with charming effect. The organization is composed of such well-known professional musicians as Andrew Snyder, Dollmeyer, Bornschein, Enderlein, Walter and Schitz. The band is known as the Philharmonic, and all its membership numbers fifteen persons, all of whom are old citizens and thorough musicians.

Commissioner's Inspector of Gas Meters, &c.

In connection with an article of the new charter of the city government, the City Council have conferred with the Board of Water Commissioners relative to the appointment of a commissioner of gas to investigate all matters of complaint. The result is, it is understood, that the Board of Water Commissioners will appoint the said inspector of gas meters, &c., and that the said appointee will be under the direction of the Board of Water Commissioners. The duties and salary of the office will be defined by the Board of Water Commissioners.

Fatal Accident.

Frank Cooper, aged about 9 years, residing with his parents on Jefferson street, between Seventh and Eighth, was run over by a vehicle and so badly crushed as to die. A coroner's inquest, sitting with-him on the case, went up to the house and saw the body of the little boy. Dr. Mitchell, of No. 3 Medical Hall, was also present, and pronounced the child dead. Thomas Cooper, the father of the deceased, was also present, and stated that his son had left home about 4 o'clock in the afternoon, and was returning to his home when the accident occurred. The driver of the vehicle, a colored man, whose name could not be learned, was arrested by Officer Hall, and locked up in the Second-street station-house. The jury rendered a verdict in accordance with the facts.

Fire.

A fire broke out in a grocery at the corner of Washington and Preston streets about 12 o'clock last night. It was quickly put out, and but little damage resulted.

INSURING BURNT COTTON.

Three Insurance Companies at Law in the Chancery Court.

A very interesting case, involving the insurance on sixty-six bales of cotton, has just been concluded in the Chancery Court. The plaintiffs were the Kentucky Mutual, a safe deposit company, and the Union Insurance company; and the defendants, the Home Fire Insurance company of New York.

During the summer and fall of the year 1865 McFerran, Menifee & Co., of this city, purchased the above sixty-six bales of cotton in the interior of Georgia. They shipped the cotton from Columbus, Ga., down the Chattahoochie river, in lighters, to Apalachicola, Fla. There it was loaded on the wharf and compressed, and then sold to Wattis, Crane & Co., of New York, and the "Leonard Myers"—on which it was to be shipped from Apalachicola to New York. The greater portion of the cotton bought was also shipped was consigned by Wattis, Crane & Co., New York; but there were other lots consigned to C. K. King & Co., of that city.

Fortunate bales of the cotton consigned to Wattis, Crane & Co., were destroyed by fire on the 8th of October, 1865, while it was on the wharf at Apalachicola, and while it was awaiting shipment on the vessel. This was the cotton in consideration. McFerran, Menifee & Co. had applied to the latter part of September, 1865, to the plaintiffs companies on the cotton consigned to Wattis, Crane & Co., which at one point covered the Chattahoochie; but this risk the plaintiff declined, and McFerran, Menifee & Co. got it taken in New York. But they did obtain from the plaintiff insurance on the cotton consigned to Wattis, Crane & Co., from Apalachicola to New York, and while it should be on board the vessels; and the plaintiffs reinsured one-half of this with the defendant at 1¾ per cent. premium. It was suggested to McFerran, Menifee & Co., by plaintiffs, that, although they were insured on the cotton down the Chattahoochie, and also from Apalachicola to New York, yet that they were not insured on the cotton, after it was landed at Apalachicola, but they did obtain from the plaintiffs